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## *Honorary Citizenship*

TO ALL WHO SHALL VIEW THIS DOCUMENT, GREETINGS;  
ON BEHALF OF THE CITIZENS OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,  
WE WELCOME

*Erica Atkins*

and applaud your efforts to restore the moral integrity of our country. Because you demonstrate a passion for your beliefs, your music, and your life; because your works help to spread the positive message of spirituality and belief; and in recognition of your commitment to sharing the African-American experience.



I am indeed honored and pleased to bestow upon you, on behalf of the citizenry of our nation's capital, this Honorary Citizenship. Henceforth and everlasting shall you observe and realize the benefits due with the pronounced inalienable rights accorded here, in the District of Columbia. Given under my hand, and the Great Seal of the District of Columbia, August 4, 2000.

Anthony A. Williams  
Mayor, District of Columbia

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